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# Community Conversation

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# Our employees are the reason we kept up so much vital work during the pandemic

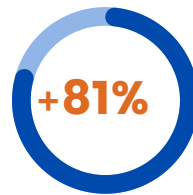
**LANL is responsible for important R&D work for the nation and our scope is growing**

**COVID has taught us there are many ways to leverage technology to work effectively**

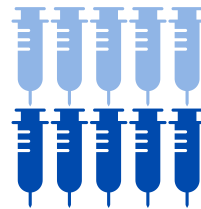
**Our researchers are making important contributions to nuclear security, climate change, environmental remediation, fuel cell technology...**

- LANL played a key leadership role in the pandemic by identifying mutations, predicting spread, and providing decision support

## LANL COVID stats



LANL employees who have received at least one shot



LANL administered **2,300** Moderna/Pfizer vaccinations per week at peak



**~1,000**

LANL COVID tests per week, with more than 20,000 tests to date



**600**

Average number of calls our 24/7 COVID Hotline staff answer per week

# Exciting LANL news and changes on the horizon

## **Received approval to fund Bachelors of Mechanical Engineering at UNM-LA**

- This is one of several collaborative programs we hope will bring many more local employees to LANL

## **Triad and LANL employees were the Food Depot's biggest corporate donor in 2020**

## **Signed two leases for office buildings in Santa Fe**

- Excited to host upcoming events in the Guadalupe space

## **LANL Foundation awarded \$842,750 in scholarships to 150 students this year**

## **Launched LEEP to attract more innovators and start-ups**



Above, one of several new leases LANL announced in 2021. Below is Edgar Sarceno, a LAESF scholarship winner who was temporarily homeless in high school and is now a junior at Bates College and a summer intern at LANL.



# Two new programs are increasing LANL's support to the region

## Time & Talent

- Triad will provide grants on behalf of our employee volunteers to regional nonprofits
- Grants can be used wherever they're most needed
- To enter the grant drawings, employees will enter their volunteer hours on our LANL site—make sure to remind your LANL volunteers to log their hours!

## Community Technical Assistance

- Provides support and LANL expertise/tools to nonprofit, government and tribal organizations in Northern NM that are facing technical challenges



# Questions?